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TRADITIONAL RIVALS:

BRIEF GLIMPSE OF PAST BOUTS FOR KNIGHTS

By BILL WIGMORE

When the Purple Knights of St. Michael's and the Cata-mounds of Vermont meet this afternoon on the gridiron, it may not be just another Homecoming game.

It may be the most thrilling ever. But that is not to say that there have not been some great ones before.

Over a thirty-six year period, the two teams have split eight games and the tension, spirit and rivalry have grown with each contest.

Rummaging through the records, files, yearbooks and old St. Michael's publication, the "Purple and Gold," we have dug up a history of the past St. Michael's-Vermont games, which might strike the memory of the visiting Alumni.

It all started back on October 4, 1916, when the football manager, "Pat" Brennan, took 15 men across the Winooski River, only to be soundly beaten 33-0 in the first recorded game against the University of Vermont. Manager "Pat" is now Rt. Rev. Msgr. P.C. Brennan, Rector of the Cathedral of

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"Football" Dance Saturday Eve

The "Football" Annual Outing Club Dance will be held tonight in Austin Hall from 8 to 12. Music will be provided by Chris Carey and the Arabian Knights Combo.

The event, held in conjunction with the Homecoming Weekend, has been a social highlight of the Fall calendar each year. This dance should prove to be no exception as general chairman Stan Hayes and his Outing Club members have worked hard to make it a success.

A feature of the evening will be the appearance of the St. Michael's football team as guests of honor at the dance. Senior members of the squad will be presented gift tickets to the Winter Carnival, which is also under the sponsorship of the Outing Club.

Our Very Reverend President, Father Moriarty, will be at the dance to greet the football team and express his well wishes to those attending. It is also expected that brief speeches will be delivered by Rev. John Stankiewicz, faculty moderator of athletics; "Doc" Jacobs, Athletic Director and Head Football Coach; and Assistant Coach Art Coggio.

GET YOUR TICKETS NOW

Tickets, which are \$1.20 per couple, have been sold by the club's representative in the various dorms and are still available from them or may be purchased at the door.

Theme of the event is "The World Is In YOUR Arms at the Homecoming Dance."

Attention Seniors: See your hall representative for tickets to the Senior Ball, Saturday, October 18. Time is growing short. Get yours today.

FOLLOW THE CROWD!

GIANT RALLY HERALDS GAME OF YEAR

By JERRY RYAN

At seven o'clock, Friday night, a giant Pep Rally is scheduled to spark this Homecoming Weekend in keeping with St. Michael's tradition. Included in the events is the annual "Snake Dance" through Winooski and on to Burlington.

The Outing Club headed by its president, Stan Hayes and the chairman of the Pep Rally committee, Paul Aurienti, has drawn up plans to make this event one of the most outstanding of the year. The tentative procedure for tonight's activities are as follows:

1. All Michaelmen are to assemble in front of Austin Hall at 7:00 p.m. with their voices well-tuned.

2. Next they will proceed to the bonfire over behind the football field for a session of cheers and songs which will be given by the augmented staff of cheerleaders and short speeches by the coaches and players themselves.

3. The relative spirit of each class will be determined by the loudness of each group of voices.

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CHEERING SECTION GIVES GREETINGS



Extending a hearty welcome to the visiting Alumni is a portion of the new St. Michael's cheering section. Front row, left to right: Don McGaffigan, Dick Napolitano, Dick Curry, Dave Mullin and Dick Bochkor. Back row, left to right: Art Cavanaugh, Mr. Kelly, Moderator; Jack Duggan, Bob Bolster, Pete Roy, John Crotty and Dick Fiset.

HOMECOMING HIGHLIGHTS

By BARRY HAMILTON

Today heralds another Homecoming Weekend at St. Michael's College and the Alumni have been arriving in Burlington since yesterday to celebrate the big event.

Plans for the Weekend include an Alumni Banquet, Hall decorations, the Outing Club dance and, of course, our annual gridiron battle with Vermont. It promises to be an entertaining weekend not only for the Alumni but for the students as well.

PROPOSED REVISIONS

Last night the Alumni held a "Get-Together" and Registration at Happy Acres with Jack Ireland, '30, acting as host. Room service was also provided by Mr. Ireland. But today is the day for the Alumni and their activities will begin with an important business meeting at Austin Hall at 11:00 a.m.

The purpose of the meeting is to consider changes in the by-laws with the possibility of revisions in the voting procedure for Alumni officers. Attorney Fernand Boudreau of Boston has been asked by the Alumni Board to officiate at the meeting and announce the proposals.

The General Chairman, for the Homecoming Weekend, is Mr. Victor LeMieux, '35, of Manchester, N.H. Mr. LeMieux is also president of the Alumni Association. He, along with Mr. Julian Miller '11, of Philadelphia, Pa., will be

honored at the Alumni banquet tonight.

Mr. LeMieux and Mr. Miller were selected by a group of Alumni members consisting of Very Rev. Francis E. Moriarty, Rev. Ralph Linnehan, Rev. Gerard E. Duford, and Dr. Jeremiah K. Durick. Both Mr. LeMieux and Mr. Miller are also Alumni of the St. Michael's football teams.

STUDENT GUESTS

Guests at the Alumni banquet will include David Mullin, president of the Senior Class and Owen Murphy, Student Council vice-president. This will be the first year that members of the student body have been invited to the Alumni banquet. Formerly the Alumni Weekend was held during the Spring and was changed to the present date during the post-war years.

At 9:30 p.m., following the banquet an Alumni Homecoming dance will be held at Happy Acres with Bill Cofrancis providing the music. At the same time there will be a student dance at Austin Hall to celebrate our "hoped-for" victory over Vermont.

INTRA-MURAL "FEUD"

As in the past the Alumni members will witness the Hall decoration contest which promises to be very keen. These displays have been an enjoyable feature in the past and according to the rumors they should set a new precedent.

There is an open feud between several halls and their efforts should produce some remarkable results. The defending "champs," St. James' Hall, will be trying to retain their laurels and receive the \$15 award.

"BEAT VERMONT!"

As usual the St. Michael's-Vermont football game will highlight the weekend activities. Both teams will enter the game with 1-1 records, St. Michael's having lost its first game to a fine Arnold College team since its loss to Springfield College in '50. Weather permitting, St. Michael's athletic field will be the scene of a fine exhibition of "gridiron grit" with both teams 'up' for the contest.

Highlighting the intermission of the game will be a tug-of-war between the Frosh and Sophomores to determine the doffing date of those beanies. They are something new at St. Michael's and the Freshmen are anxious to doff them forever. Win or lose, the Freshmen are going to make things tough for their successors. Also on the entertainment list for the intermission are a variety of skits which will be presented by members of the student body.

The Alumni Memorial High Mass, sung by the Very Rev. Francis E. Moriarty, S.S.E., in commemoration of all the Alumni, living and dead, will draw the weekend to a conclusion.

A Prize For The Best

For the past week students from every hall on this campus have been engaged in the design and construction of colorful outdoor displays. This is an annual competitive event celebrating the return of St. Michael's Alumni.

A PRIZE FOR THE BEST

As an added incentive to these "campus craftsmen," the Student Council will present a prize of fifteen dollars to the one display which best communicates the theme, "Welcome Home, Alumni." The big question is, of course, which hall is going to produce these results?

ST. JAMES' THIS YEAR?

Last year St. James' was the proud recipient of this honor with St. John's coming in as a very close second. (In fact St. James' has been winning the coveted prize for several years.) Needless to say St. Pat's and St. James', to mention a few, have sworn to defeat their annual rival.

But Father Paulin, the proctor of St. James', promises that his staff of "decoration experts" are going to make the competition a stiff battle indeed.

EVERYONE'S JOB

Stan Hayes, the president of the Outing Club, has appointed the proctors of the different halls as decoration committee chairmen. He has asked that the students participate fully in this event for it is the individual initiative of the students themselves which will make this program successful.



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The Lance, the student magazine, is in need of contributors. What are you --- the student reading this editorial --- doing about it? That is a rather blunt way of asking whether or not you have any interests in writing -- now, and in the future. If your interests are chiefly directed towards journalism, then the Lance is not for you. But if you have creative ability, if you have a flair for the writing of short stories, essays on current events or more universal topics; if your tastes are romantic or realistic, or if you simply enjoy spinning a good yarn -- what are you waiting for?

For some strange reason many amateur writers are extremely reticent to show the products of their type-writers or pens to anyone, least of all (it would seem) their potential friends. The most unfortunate result of this habit is that frequently these students are the ones who have real ability. And all too often the converse is so true. The material that is gladly turned in to the editor (by the carload) is worth little. And what are the results of this?

Will this magazine be a good example of college-level composition? Not unless the students of St. Michael's are willing to make it so. And it will become a very mediocre magazine to be given up as a "bad job," "too advanced a project," if they sit back and continue to "wait for something to come along."

The Lance is your publication, fellow Michaelmen. It is yours to be proud of, yours from which to gain experience and pleasure, or yours to let die from inactivity.

Congratulations to the Senior Class for their wise selection of nominees for the Shield dedication.

Every year the Seniors cast their votes to determine the dedication of the yearbook. This is one of the customs here at St. Michael's. It is a good custom because in so doing each graduating class pays tribute to the man, or men, who has contributed greatly to this college. A good custom - yes - but one which demands certain decisions that are not easily made.

Those already nominated by the Class of 1953 are Rev. Lorenzo D'Agostino, Dr. Jeremiah K. Durick, Rev. Anthony Larkin, and the working Brothers.

The activities of these four candidates are both numerous and varied. Fr. D'Agostino, Dean of Men and Student Activities Director, is also a teacher in the Social Sciences and the first Vermonter to get a Doctorate in Social Service. In the past years it has been his duty as Dean of Men to maintain the equilibrium of order essential to a Catholic campus. The importance of this administrative position and the responsibility which it entails has been given due consideration by the Senior Class.

Dr. Durick is the Head of the English Department and Director of the Summer Session here at St. Michael's. To Freshmen and others who do not know him this may sound quite austere and somber. But to all who have attended his classes or made his acquaintance otherwise, Dr. Durick is a man possessing a warm sense of the humanities and the power to communicate the true meaning of culture.

Fr. Larkin, an instructor of Religion, a seasoned veteran of the Southern Missions and Proctor of St. John's Hall was a student among this year's graduating class during its Sophomore and Junior years. During this time his natural friendliness and rapport developed a spirit of comradeship which will remain among the Seniors and all others who have known him.

It is heartwarming to note that this is the second year that the working Brothers have been nominated for the yearbook dedication. Their work, humble in nature, goes on continually throughout the year. They receive very little attention from most of us. That is their life. But the performance of their duties has not gone unnoticed. The editors of this newspaper are indeed thankful for this, for they feel that the Brothers are as much a part of St. Michael's as the members of the faculty.

OWEN MURPHY NEW EDITOR OF YEARBOOK

Owen Murphy, who last year did a truly commendable job as Editor-in-Chief of the MICHAELMAN, has been chosen by his Senior Class to be Editor of the college yearbook, "The Shield."

Murphy is now busy organizing his staff and laying out plans for the yearbook which already shows promise of being an outstanding achievement of the student body.

The important positions of Associate Editors will be handled by Lou Vanasse of Northampton, Mass., and Jack Reardon of Brookline, Mass., two very competent men who are willing to work hard for their class.

Leo Floyd of South Lancaster, Mass., will be Business Manager of the Shield and Frank Foley, a native of Burlington, will head the Advertising Department.

The names of other members of both the Editorial and Business Staff will be forthcoming.

Boosts Weekend

The Student Council, at last Monday night's meeting in Science Hall, decided to do its share in order to make this year's Homecoming a "gala event." Owen Murphy acting president in the absence of Herb Fuller, announced that the Council would appropriate a prize to be given to the hall winning the Homecoming display contest. The contest itself is under the auspices of the Outing Club, Stan Hayes, club president said.

A FIRE HOSE

Bob Bolster, Sophomore class president announced plans for the Freshman-Sophomore Tug-of-war to be held during the halftime period of the Homecoming game. A stream of water from a fire hose will provide the line over - or through - which the losers must be dragged. The event will take place on the north end of the Athletic Field.

TWO DANCES

Winding up the Homecoming business, the Student Council approved a budget of \$141 which Stan Hayes presented and which the Outing Club has ticketed for this weekend's Homecoming Dance.

The Council also approved another dance budget, this one for \$170 as submitted by Dave Mullin, Senior Class president, for the Senior Ball. The Seniors will hold their dance at the Burlington Country Club, Saturday, October 18.

FIRST DAY FOR BLOOD

Walt Rovinski, as chairman of the blood draw committee, announced that the first date for giving blood here at St. Michael's has been shifted to October 31. Rovinski said that any blood donor to the Red Cross may request and obtain blood for himself or for any relative in the case of an emergency.

ACTIVITY SCHEDULES

Father D'Agostino, Student Council moderator, suggested that Activity Schedules be distributed by a special committee. Dave Mullin, the business manager of the MICHAELMAN solved the problem by volunteering to distribute the schedules with the papers.

WHO'S WHO

Walt Ravinski was appointed to head a committee aided by Frank Barrett and Dave Mullin to submit a list of Seniors to the Student Council for approval to be included in this year's college "Who's Who." The Council will pick fifteen members of the class and these names will be submitted to the faculty who will select ten finalists for the honors.

Trinity Displaying Famous Book of Kells

The Book of Kells (Codex Cenannensis) is on display at the Trinity College Library. Presented to the library by a friend of the college, this three-volume treasure is number 409 of a limited edition of 500 subscribed reproductions.

KING OF IRELAND

The Book of Kells is an illuminated manuscript copy of the Gospels in Latin, containing also local records of the town of Kells, County Meath, Ireland. Kells was originally a royal residence. Here Conn of the Hundred Fights lived in the second century, and here too, was the palace of Dermot, King of Ireland, 544-565. In the sixth century Kells was given to St. Columbkille who founded the most ancient monastery of the town.

FROM THE EIGHTH CENTURY

The original Book of Kells dates from the eighth century and is preserved in the library of Trinity College, Dublin, where every day for ages, visitors from all parts of the world have peered through the curtained glass at the page exposed for the day.

The illumination is executed with extraordinary delicacy, and the work is reputed to be

the finest extant example of early Christian art of this kind.

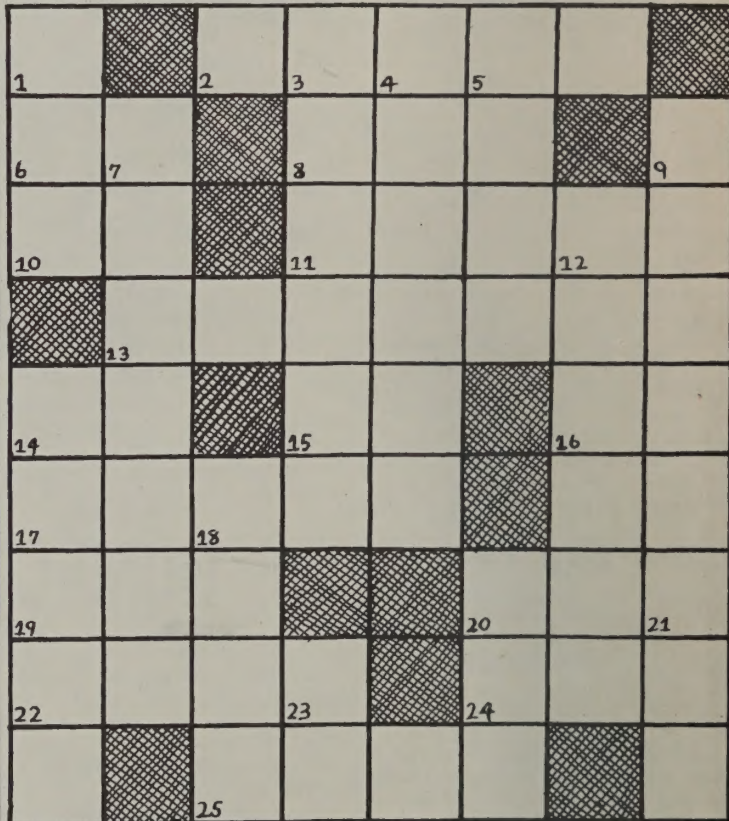
It was to satisfy the just claims of art and scholarship that the publication of the limited 1950 reproduction was permitted, and for the first time all the contents of the manuscript from cover to cover are made accessible, in some degree, to the world of culture. In size, as in position of the parts, the reproduction matches the original, page for page and line for line, and the proudest pages are in color. The great advances in photographic science in the past century have made possible this edition which has been under consideration for a great many years.

The book has been on display for the public throughout Bible Week and will be continuously available to scholars and artists in the future.

OTHER WORKS

Also displayed during Bible Week was the Confraternity edition of the New Testament, presented to the college library in 1945 by Most Rev. Matthew F. Brady, former Bishop of Burlington. A collection of the reproductions of the Book of Job formed a part of the exhibit.

TEASER OF THE WEEK



ACROSS

- 2. " ---- " Evans
- 6. A Venerable building, the present home of most Freshmen. (initials)
- 8. " The ----, " our assistant Football coach
- 10. Rank just above Seaman Recruit. (Initials)
- 11. Who will win the Intra--- Display Contest?
- 13. A word that takes the place of a noun.
- 14. A man's name (Diminutive)
- 15. South Dakota
- 16. Famous Jockey (Initials)
- 17. Button up your over---- (Plural)
- 19. " Blowing his own ---- Horn "
- 20. A printer's term (Plural)
- 22. A very famous garden
- 24. Compass direction
- 25. The ---- we get from Fr. Duford

DOWN

- 1. A distress Signal
- 3. U.V.M. will try their ---- to win Saturday's game.
- 4. An exclamation (Archaic)
- 5. What you get when you will not study
- 7. Having one half the usual number of chromosomes
- 9. One of the bones of the forearm
- 12. " Season of mists and mellow fruitfulness ... "
- 14. " He ---- like a true Michaelman. " (Pastparticiple)
- 18. Over again
- 20. God is man's final ----.
- 21. " By the ---, by the ---, by the beautiful--- "
- 23. In France they say, " non "

Puzzles similar to the above will be a regular feature of this newspaper. Any student who wishes to submit puzzles may leave them at Room 112, Ryan Hall. Answer to last week's "Teaser" on Page 5.

AIR vs. GROUND IN UVM GO

Arnold Does It, 13-9

St. Michael's 10 game winning streak came to a thrilling end Sunday afternoon at the St. Michael's Athletic Field, as Arnold College took to the air to edge the Knights 13-9, before 2,000 excited fans.

The game, played under sloppy, rainy conditions, was hard-fought and even all the way. While the Knights were grounding out 153 yards on the ground, the Milford, Conn., invaders went by air to travel 121 yards. St. Michael's couldn't stop the accurate heaves of quarterback Dick Giansello in key plays, and that eventually spelled their doom.

The charges of Coach "Doc" Jacobs opened the scoring after only five plays. End Dick Stokes threw fullback Ralph Consiglio, attempting to punt, in the end zone for a safety. Arnold had faced a fourth down and 18, when a low pass from center got away from Consiglio. Stokes swarmed over him to give the home team a 2-0 lead.

CARR SCORES

Later in the period, halfback Mike Carr galloped 17 yards to the Arnold 25 and started the Purple on a TD march. Carr, and fullback Ted Bergeron, moved the ball to the nine just as the quarter ended.

On the first play of the second quarter, Carr took a handoff and bolted the remaining nine yards off his own right tackle. Quarterback Ken Casperson place-kicked the extra point and St. Michael's looked to be on their way to their 11th straight win.

But the Terriers only fought the harder. Neither team could muster a payoff threat for the remainder of the half, although Arnold did threaten seriously with minutes left. A 25-yard pass from Giansello to end Joe Cirone and Giansello's 10-yard run moved them to the Knights' nine. But the last play of the half was an in-

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Skiers Out To Trim Down

St. Michael's may once again be represented by a ski team if present plans continue to expand. Captain Thomas A. Cootey, U.S.A.F., an enthusiast of the sport himself, has organized a group of students who want to enter competition this winter. The Captain is a crack skier from his Norwich U. days.

So far, 13 men have shown up for workouts and conditioning, which to date has included mostly running. However, it is hoped that more will become interested.

Captain Cootey, who will be in charge of the team, lists the following names: Jack Bourden, Paul Arienti, Hugh McCann, Larry Drew, David Holmes, Bob Mellen, Robert O'Brien, Don LaBrake, Eugene Messer, Tom Dovey, Andrew MacEntee, Bill Weihs, Ernest Bolognani, and Tom O'Neill.

Statistics

	S.M.C.	ARNOLD
F.D.	9	7
Total Rush. Gain	214	84
Total Rush. Loss	61	61
Net Rushing	153	23
Passes Att.	13	28
Passes Com.	2	10
Yards Passing	15	121
Punts	7	8
Average	33.8	32.7
Fumbles	6	3
Own Fum. Recov'd	4	2
Yds. Lost Pen.	75	85

HILLTOPICS by FRAN HOBEN

If there is no one among the missing in the student body these days, there never will be. For what with the tense World Series action and the Arnold football game, it wouldn't have been surprising to find a few Michaelmen confined to the Hotel Dube.

The first loss was hard medicine to take and, considering the excitement of the final three minutes, an almost impossible pill to swallow. Yet perhaps it is the best thing that could have happened to this year's Knights.

Comparatively speaking, it is a young team. The number of Juniors and Sophomores on the starting units is a large one, and they undoubtedly felt the pressure of having to preserve that winning streak, - especially since they are already on the spot as successors to last year's unbeaten and untied team.

OFF WITH THE OLD

But now the pressure is off. For the first time the Purple can take the field and not have to worry about being compared with the '51 eleven. They aren't yet as good and no one expects them to be. But the question can be asked here - how many state teams have gone on such a winning rampage as the Jacobsmen of a year ago?

Now with the incoming of Vermont, S.M.C. will be "up" for the first time this season. The Catamounts were definitely ready for Maine last week in holding them to a 14-6 win. They may be able to match that peak this afternoon, but then again they may not. The Knights, however, are ready.

It is no secret that U.V.M. will cause the greatest air disturbance since the flying saucer menace. In this regard it would be more proper to refer to the opposition as UBD since the pitching arm of quarterback Bob Deacon seems to be the whole show. And he can really heave 'em too. That's where the teams differ.

CAR-RYING THE LOAD

S.M.C. relies on speed and running power. The home club has two threats to go all the way -- Mike Carr and Carmine Parrella. Coach Ed Donnelly would love to build a portable stone wall across the field to stop these two. Combined, they have chalked up 404 yards.

And, it is being rumored that "Doc" has been searching the used-helicopter markets of late to defend against Deacon. But since neither coach will be able to obtain these aids, it will be left to both of the defenses.

That is why HILLTOPICS looks for a high-scoring game. Possible three or four touchdowns apiece. The arm of Deacon and the legs of Carr and Parrella will be hard things to stop.

We also look for the Knights to win. This is the one the team wants. With the record books put aside for a while, they can concentrate on winning this ONE. Won't guess the score, but it should be a sensational get-together.

MAKE IT PLURAL

After all the to-do about the Coggio drop-kicking abilities, and as well-earned as it was, comes word from a former Knight of S.M.C.'s early days that "the toe" was not the original.

Speaking with Julian Miller, one of the directors of the Alumni Association, we learned that a fellow by the name of "Blimp" Lemeaux was quite a drop-kicker himself. In fact, back in 1913 when the Michaelmen went over to Hanover to scrimmage Dartmouth, Lemeaux saved them from a shutout by booting a field goal from about 40 yards out. He usually averaged 30 to 40 yards per try. Of course, the ball wasn't so pointed in those days.

Mr. Miller will be the recipient of an Alumni award from the college today. He likes to watch football today, but doesn't favor the two-platoon system.

"A man should play until he drops," he smiled.

If things go as expected this afternoon, he may well get his wish.

OVER AND ABOVE

We mentioned the new Pep Club last week and at the time thought that the names were also printed in the paper. Since they were not - we'll list them now.

The moderator, as mentioned before, is Prof. William Kelly. The students are: Seniors, Pres. Dave Mullin, Dick Curry, Bob "Satch" Larkin, Owen Murphy, Dick Fleming, Dick Fiset, Tom Flanigan, John Marksamer, Paul Murphy, Leo Floyd, Jack Dolan, Jack Duggan and Herbie Gardner.

Juniors: Bob McGaffigan, John Crotty, Dick Bochkor, Pete "Daddy-o" Roy, Leo Cappuccio, Bobby Foskit, and Dick "Nappy" Napolitano. Also Sophomores, Pres. Bob Bolster, Charley Gillen, Hank Perrine and Art. Cavanaugh.

This gang did a fine job at the Arnold game, and with a week's organization behind them they should be "real gone" today. Outside of the actual cheerleading, the biggest interest to the remainder of the crowd was which one of the group was wearing the wierdest hat. It seems a cinch that one of the boys could take the Intramural championship in the hat division hands-down.

KNIGHTS DEFEND CROWN BEFORE HOMECOMERS

By JOHN LAUGHRAN

The Purple Knights of St. Michael's College play host to the University of Vermont Catamounts this afternoon at Winooski Park, before an expected crowd of 6,000 Homecoming fans.

For the first time since before the war, U.V.M. was not the opening game on the Purple Knights' schedule. In those five openers with the Vermonters, the Michaelmen have won three while dropping two.

Our cousins from across the river will field a greatly improved gridiron team. Last year they were greatly outplayed by the Knights' unbeaten and untied team and went down to their worst defeat in the series. The Purple scored more points than either team has ever scored and won, going away by a score of 41 to 7.

CATS IMPROVED

The Catamounts gave the Michaelmen a game of it for the first quarter, holding them to one touchdown, but the roof fell in on them as the overall power and drive of the Knights ran wild in later periods and when the smoke cleared, it turned out to be a rout for the Winooski Park eleven.

This year however, it's a different story. New Coach Ed Donnelly has turned out a hard running and rugged U.V.M. team that has already gained respect from neighboring elevens in the past two weeks. In their first start this season, the Catamounts rolled over Champlain College 33 to 0.

Last Saturday against a rugged and highly touted Maine eleven, the underdog U.V.M. squad threw a scare into the Black Bears, before going down to a 14 to 6 defeat.

PASSING TEAM

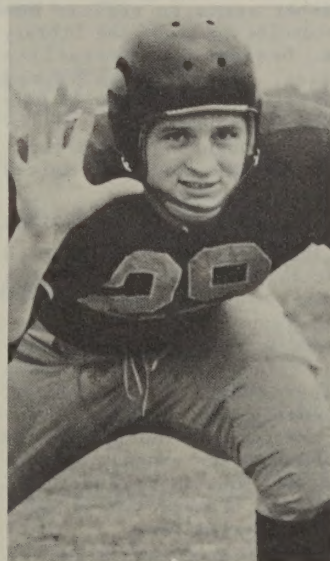
Bob Deacon, the 6-1, 176 lb. quarterback will call the signals for the Catamounts today. Against Champlain two weeks ago, Bob completed 13 out of 21 passes for an impressive 241 yards gained in the air. Last week against Maine he completed 10 out of 19 passes for 189 yards.

Thus, in 40 attempted passes Deacon has completed 23, at an average of better than 15 yards a pass. Besides passing the opposition dizzy, "Deac" does all the punting and extra-point kicking, and has averaged 33 yards a punt.

Running from the halfback spots will be tricky Gary Clairmont, a 5-7, 160 lb. speed-runner and fine pass receiver, and Ed Nemer, a 180 lb. speedster. At full will

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PIGSKIN PROFILES



Paul Bascom



Ken Casperson

Paul Balcom, 190 lb. senior from Watertown Mass., is another one of the seasoned veterans left from last year's squad. Paul has been playing left tackle for the Knights since he arrived at the Hilltop. Due to the strong depth that the Knight's have had at the tackle positions for past two years and because of a serious back injury Paul has been forced in his Sophomore year to take a back seat.

Paul spent a year at Harvard before matriculating at the Hilltop. While at Harvard, Paul was a standout on defense for their freshman team.

Paul is a graduate of Watertown High, where he played football for two years and was first string tackle on a strong '48 club.

Paul is an English major and has been a very consistent Dean's List Student. This year he is serving as student proctor at St. Leo's Hall.

Ken Casperson, 165 lb. senior from North Adams, Mass., has been a regular quarterback for the past three years. "Biggy," as he is known around campus, has been the field general on two of the outstanding teams in St. Michael's history including the school's only undefeated team.

"Biggy," who was married this summer, hasn't received much publicity the past two years because of the Little All Americans and All New Englanders who have been dominating the scene. But he deserves a lot of credit for his smart signal calling.

Ken is a graduate of Drury High School where he took part in football, baseball and track. He was captain of the baseball team in his senior year and was picked on the All-Berkshire County Football Team in 1947 and 1948 and on the All-Berkshire County Baseball Team in 1949.

ALBRO WINS TENNIS TOURNAMENT

'KNIGHTLIGHTS' MINSTREL

"Knightlights of '52," went into initial rehearsals this week and Austin Hall echoed with Irish ballads, lush crooning. . . and Joe Miller jokes.

TO BENEFIT SOUTHERN MISSION

The All-Michaelman talent revue to be presented November 7, and 9, already shows promise of topping last year's performance according to Rev. Maurice E. Boucher, S.S.E., moderator of the sponsoring Mission Crusade Club.

Bill Doyle, Club President, announced that the proceeds of this year's "Knightlights" will again benefit the Southern Missions of the Society of St. Edmund.

To add to the top-notch specialty acts listed last week, the directors have borrowed a page from the old "Night of Knights" shows. A complete minstrel-in-miniature will be part of the evening's entertainment. Jack Duggan, popular Senior from New Haven, Conn., will head the cast of 25 including a Dixieland Band.

Making their debuts on campus this year will be the revamped Arabian Knights directed by Chris Carey and the St. Michael's Glee Club headed by Bill Cofrances.

THE FEMININE TOUCH

Another welcome addition to the cast are two girls from Trinity College who have volunteered to provide their special talents to the show. Miss Maureen King will assist Valdini the Great and Miss Patricia Joyal, who needs no introduction to Burlington audiences, will sing another of her popular ballads.

May Go Co-Ed

The Honorary Chemistry Club of St. Michael's College has been active on campus for the past few years. It was first organized in 1941 and had three successful years until 1944, when the War took so many students that it was necessary to discontinue the club.

In 1946 it was activated again with movies and lectures by the students introduced to the meetings. In 1948 the club was forced to become inactive again because of night labs, but with the completion of the new Science Building night labs were a thing of the past. The club was again activated with movies and lectures still part of the meetings. These movies and lectures were a great success and have been carried on every year.

Along with the meetings which have proved very interesting and educational to the students, there have been various social events to brighten the scholastic year. One of the main events is the annual maple sugar party. The sugar party, attended by members and their dates, usually consists of a movie on the production of maple syrup, and a trip to the farm of Ray Collins in Colchester where the syrup is made. Back at the Science Hall each one has a chance to make his own syrup. Along with the sugar on snow, coffee, doughnuts and pickles are served.

The officers of the club intend to continue this schedule again this year. Plans are being made to obtain interesting movies and important speakers for the coming meetings. All Freshmen who are interested are cordially invited to attend the meetings. An invitation has also been sent to the girls of Trinity College. Up to this date no word has been received from them but a good response is expected.

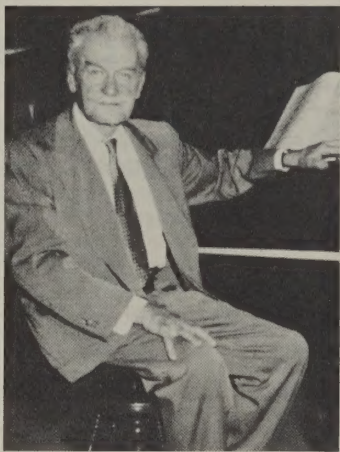
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AN INTERVIEW WITH DR. STOEHR

Dr. Richard Stoehr, a retired German professor of St. Michael's College and former professor of Harmony and musical Form at the Vienna Music Academy, has many fond memories of Franz Lehar, the composer of "The Merry Widow Waltz."

GAVE TESTIMONY

In 1914 Lehar was indicted on charges of plagiarism brought by a Romanian composer called Poppescu. While this case was being tried Dr. Stoehr was asked to be a witness and it was his testimony on behalf of Lehar that broke the case and proved Franz Lehar was innocent.



Dr. Richard Stoehr

Dr. Stoehr, said also that in the years that followed he received many pupils from Lehar and that they remained good friends.

Dr. Stoehr, himself was the student of such great masters as Fuchs, Schenner Besides teaching music at the Vienna Academy, Dr. Stoehr, has written many musical compositions. Some of the most outstanding of these scores include: symphonies and a Christmas Cantata which was performed here at St. Michael's three years ago by the Mixed Chorale. He still resides at St. Michael's and is a familiar figure around campus.

LIBRARY

Have you been inside the Library this year?

Too few students here at St. Michael's will be able to answer "yes" and fewer will be able to say "Yes, quite often." A comparatively small number seems to realize how conducive to study the Library is. Besides the prevailing quiet, reference books and advice are as handy as the desk. It is not difficult to leaf through the index cards and find the book most suited to your needs.

CATALOGUING NEARS COMPLETION

By this use of the card catalog, you have access to a storehouse of knowledge, literature and fiction complete in two languages, English and French with some works in other tongues. The work of indexing and cataloguing new books is now almost complete following the exhausting work of Mr. Joseph Sullivan, Ed Muldoon, Brother Leo, S.S.E., and Father Maloney.

AN IMPORTANT PHASE

With all this material available to the student who avails himself of it and who knows how to find it, term papers and themes will become better in content and easier writing. But this is only an immediate end. The experience in the library is one of the more important phases of college work and truly broadens the scope of one's education.

Introducing Mr. Kelly

Springfield, this year, is proud to have on the St. Michael's College faculty Mr. William Kelly, Class of '47. Mr. Kelly entered St. Michael's back in June of '42 and left in June of '43 to enlist in the United States Naval Air Corps. His colorful naval career included attending Cornell University's Diesel laboratory for the purpose of

improvement of aircraft engines.

Mr. Kelly re-entered St. Michael's in September of '46 not only to prove himself a good student but also, a better-than-average athlete. That winter saw him board-checking in the defensive slot for the Knights' icemen. In the Spring term he covered the outer-gardens for the baseball club.

Upon graduation in August of '47, Mr. Kelly gained much experience as an actuary student clerk for the Mass. Mutual Insurance Co. March of '51 saw him entering Springfield College to obtain his Master's Degree in Education. He teaches math and Statistics.

Mr. Kelly has already made many friends among the student body as well as among the faculty. His school spirit and pride is noted whether teaching or organizing a Pep Rally. Already he has been unofficially elected moderator of the newly formed "Pep Club."

Traditional Rivals

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Burlington, a ranking Alumnus in the state and the first man to receive an Honorary Doctorate from St. Michael's.

Sixteen years later in 1932, Coach Bob Carr was well pleased as 30 men turned out for the two-week pre-season drill. But hopes dimmed for the Knights when star fullback, Tom Tivnan, broke his jaw early in the first period, finishing him for the season. However, in the U.V.M. opener, the Catamounts after a scoreless half, blocked a S.M.C. punt on the 15-yard line and went on to score their second win over the Purple, 7-0.

OUR FIRST TITLE

In 1933, things were beginning to look a bit better, even to Coach Carr. That was the year Holy Cross beat us 50-0 and the Strand Theatre in Winooski was advertising in the "Purple and Gold" . . . "best talkies available, perfect sound."

This time, the Knights faced Vermont in the last game of

the season, and trimmed them 13-0 on two quick scores in the second half. It gave us a tie with Middlebury for the state crown, and put five of our players on the All-State team. The big men in football that year were Emile Bozak, Earl Peavy, Barry Branon and John Stankiewicz, the latter being the present-day Rev. John Stankiewicz, S.S.E., Treasurer of the College. And the moderator of Athletics was none other than the Rev. Daniel P. Lyons, S.S.E.

Came the depression and the end of varsity football. There was a 14-year span before St. Michael's fielded another varsity team, and fittingly the first opponent, in 1947, was Vermont. Under the guidance of Coach Ronnie Corbett, boys like Tony Comeau, Jack Daly, Bob Knight, Marty Conley, Jack Barry, Len Tyl, Clem Ferris and many others developed. But three early touchdowns set back the Knights 28-6. In '48, the story was different. George "Doc" Jacobs initiated his first game as football coach by downing the Catamounts 13-2. The game was highlighted by a 40-yard touchdown pass from Ed Krupinsky to Bob Knight. Vermont scored on a fumble recovered in the end zone for a safety.

BY A POINT

In 1949, it was Vermont again by a 7-6 count. After the opening kickoff, St. Michael's marched 65 yards to a TD, but the extra point attempt was blocked and that proved to be the margin of victory, as the Cats scored in the last few minutes of the game and converted.

The first time St. Michael's played on its new field was in 1950 and it was the usual season opener with U.V.M. Names like Simas, Plourde, Klaess, Coggio and Heggarty were heard time and again.

It was Frank Simas who scored the first touchdown for St. Michael's early in the first period. After that Meisel scored on a pass and Plourde and Carr plunged over with the final Knight tallies.

HONOR PLAQUE AWARDED

Last year St. Michael's College broke a national record when 53% of the student body donated 39 1/2 pints of blood.

The publicity spread the name of St. Michael's over the wires of the Associated Press, the United Press and over Catholic news wires.

To show its appreciation the American Red Cross will award a plaque in a public ceremony. The date of this occasion has not yet been decided.

Plans are now being made for another blood drive under the leadership of Walter Rovinski. The drawing will be managed entirely by the Student Council in keeping with last year's policy.

Due to the inability of the Burlington Blood Center to process more than 200 pints per day, there will be two separate days for drawing. Last year the Burlington Center was forced to work at a torrid pace to keep up with our one-day output of 39 1/2 pints.

RECENT MARRIAGES

Within the last few weeks of Summer, two St. Michael's professors were married in the greater Burlington area.

Mr. Arnold P. Gianelli, associate professor of Economics was married to the former Mary P. Mele of Malletts Bay, Winooski. The ceremony took place Sept. 6, in St. Stephen's Church, Winooski. Mrs. Gianelli was a Summer Session student here. The couple will make their home at Malletts Bay.

BORN ABROAD

Mr. Frederick Dirmaier, instructor in German, was married to Miss Collette Dussault on Aug. 30 in the Immaculate Conception Cathedral in Burlington.

Both men were born and studied in foreign countries. Mr. Gianelli was born in London and was graduated from London School of Economics before coming to the United States. He taught at Loyola University in Chicago and came to St. Michael's in 1950.

STUDIED HERE

Mr. Dirmaier, the new moderator of the Outing Club succeeding Prof. Cornelius Hannigan, was born in Germany but came to this country as a youth. He studied at St. Michael's from 1946 to 1948 and also at the University of Vienna, the University of Basil Switzerland, and received his degree from Colorado College. He is beginning his third year of teaching here.

FULBRIGHT WINNER

Miss Marie V. Donovan of Bristol, Conn., who received her master of arts degree at St. Michael's in June, 1951, was the third St. Michael's graduate to win a Fulbright award this year. The fellowship is offered to outstanding students by the U.S. State Department for work and study abroad.

Miss Donovan, who studied during the summer sessions at St. Michael's, will also serve as an exchange teacher in the Netherlands beginning September 1.

DAUGHTER OF MAYOR

Previously, Robert W. White, '52, editor-in-chief of the 1952 SHIELD of Winooski, and Paul B. Trahan, '41 of Swanton, had been selected for Fulbright study in England and France, respectively.

Miss Donovan is the daughter of Mayor and Mrs. Daniel Donovan of Bristol.

Homecoming Game

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be plunging Jim Montgomery (185) in his second year as powerman.
At the offensive ends will be Willard Tressler, an even six footer (190) and Don McSparron, a rangy 6 foot Junior who is a fine pass receiver and a favorite target of Deacon.

GAME TOSS-UP

At the tackles will be veteran Walt Johnson (195) and Phil Widing, (203) a Senior. At the guard spots will be veteran Clem Forte, a rugged 5-11 (190) and Ely Cudding, (204). Vic Scotese, a 5-8, 164 lb. Sophomore will handle the center chores.

The Michaelmen will have their work cut out for them today after losing to a rugged Arnold eleven the past Sunday, 13 to 9. The improved Catamounts will be out to gain revenge for last year's defeat by the Purple Knights. U.V.M. will be pulling every trick in the book at this the Homecoming game of the Knights.

Quarterback Ken Casperson will be out there again calling the signals and Mike "Crazy Legs" Carr and Carmine Parrella carrying the pigskin from the halfback spots, with Freshman Ted Bergeron at full. Rugged Jim McDonald who was on the temporarily disabled list is expected to be back at right end for the Knights with Paul Crotty at left. Paul Balcom and Joe Antone will fill the tackle posts. Rugged Eddie Carrier and Bob Leahy make up the guards, with veteran Paul Aumand holding down the center spot.

Pep Rally

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4. Then comes the Snake Dance, an opportunity for all students to show Winooski and Burlington the strength of the Michaelman spirit.

5. A word of caution: vandalism, whether it be on the U.V.M. campus or "in the heat of enthusiasm," anywhere else will only detract from the reputation of this college.

So, attention Michaelmen! Do not wait for the cheerleaders to persuade you to demonstrate your spirit at the bonfire, with your cheers or at the "grand procession" downtown. Follow your leaders and exhibit an intensity of spirit which will be difficult to match in years to come.

Should it rain, the rally will proceed according to schedule proving that the student body of this college is as active as ever in the "pre-game rally of the year." (You may be sure that on this occasion our nearby rivals are not going to coop themselves up in their Fraternity houses because of a few raindrops. -Ed.)

S. M. vs. Arnold

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completed pass, and the 9-0 advantage remained.

MARGIN NARROWED

Arnold's defense stiffened greatly in the third period, holding the Knights without a first down. In addition they lost little time in breaking the shutout.

On the first play from scrimmage, Mike Carr fumbled and guard Tom Keegan fell on it on the S.M.C. 38. Seven plays later Consiglio bulled two-yards for the score. Allan Berguson converted with a left-footed placement, narrowing the margin to 9-7.

The play was even thereafter. St. Michael's end Dave Foley recovered a fumble on the Arnold 31 half-way through the final period, but the Knights couldn't cash it in. The drive ended on the 31, from where Casperson attempted a field goal. The boot fell about five-yards short and the last serious bid of the home forces was ended.

FUMBLE (IT IS) HURTS

Arnold, however, was more industrious. Halfback John Esposito recovered another fumble on the S.M.C. 15. That was all Coach Ray Stoviak needed. Led by Frosh halfback, Don Scott, they moved to the one, from where Consiglio again went over. Guard John

Sully blocked the extra point try, and it was 13-9, the eventual final score.

The Knights filled the airways in the remaining four minutes, but couldn't connect. One long pass was caught on the Arnold 30 but a clipping penalty nullified it.

The loss was the first on the two-year old home grounds. Nine visiting teams had met defeat previously, including Arnold in both years. It was also the first victory for Coach Stoviak over "Doc" Jacobs, his former mentor at Villanova.

LAST WEEK'S "TEASER"

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SODALITY

Rev. Paul A. Gopaul, SSE, newly appointed Director of the St. Michael's Sodalists, announced today that this organization, oldest on the College campus, will present the Living Rosary for the general public Sunday, October 12, at 7 p.m., on the College Athletic Field.

Participants in the Rosary, originally slated Tuesday, will be members of the St. Michael's Freshman Class.

Only once before was the Living Rosary presented at St. Michael's and it received a warm welcome from students

and others throughout the Burlington-Winooski area. The Sodalists plan to present it twice annually, once in October for the Feast of the Holy Rosary and again during May for the Feast of St. Michael.

Included in the program are hymns in honor of the Blessed Virgin, a short talk on "Rosary Living," and the "Salve Regina" by the College Choir under the direction of Mr. Wm. Cofrancis.

Besides sponsoring this activity, the Sodalists are active in the teaching of Christian Doctrine in three Burlington parishes

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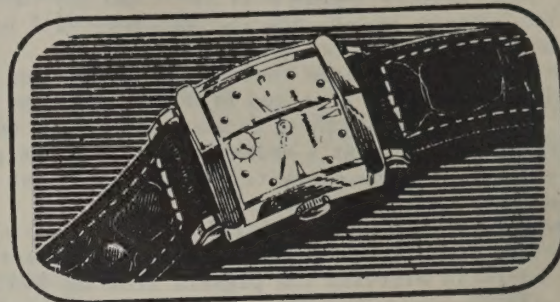
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